

**INFORMATION SHEET**  
**DETERMINATIONS OF NO JURISDICTION FOR ISOLATED,**  
**NON-NAVIGABLE, INTRA-STATE WATERS RESULTING FROM U.S. SUPREME**  
**COURT DECISION IN SOLID WASTE AGENCY OF NORTHERN COOK**  
**COUNTY V. U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS**

**DISTRICT OFFICE:** Detroit District March 4, 2005

**FILE NUMBER:** 04-145-082-0

**PROJECT REVIEW/DETERMINATION COMPLETED:** In the office N Date:  
 (Y/N)

At the project Y Date: 17 Feb 05  
 site (Y/N)

**PROJECT LOCATION INFORMATION:**

State: Indiana

County: Lake

Center coordinates of site by latitude & longitude lat:41-27-53.8920 lon:87-19-49.2240  
 coordinates:

Approximate size of site/property (including uplands) in acres

Name of waterway or watershed: Deep River

Type of Aquatic Resource <sup>1</sup> :	0-1 ac	1-3 ac	3-5 ac	5-10 ac	10-25 ac	25-50 ac	> 50 ac	Linear Feet	Unknown
Lake									
River									
Stream									
Mudflat									
Sandflat									
Wetlands	x								
Slough									
Prairie Pothole									
Wet Meadow									
Playa Lake									
Vernal Pool									
Natural Pond									
Other Water (identify type)									

<sup>1</sup>Check appropriate boxes that best describe type of isolated, non-navigable, intra-state water present and best estimate for size of non-jurisdictional aquatic resource area.

Migratory Bird Rule Factors <sup>1</sup>	If Known		If Unknown Use Best Professional Judgment		
	Yes	No	Predicted to Occur	Not Expected to Occur	Not Able to Make Determination
Is or would be used as habitat for birds protected by Migratory Bird Treaties?			x		
Is or would be used as habitat by other migratory birds that cross state lines?					x
Is or would be used as habitat for endangered species?					x
Is used to irrigate crops sold in interstate commerce?				x	
<sup>1</sup> Check appropriate boxes that best describe potential for applicability of the Migratory Bird Rule to apply to onsite, non-jurisdictional, isolated, non-navigable, intra-state aquatic resource area.					

**TYPE OF DETERMINATION:**      **Preliminary**      **Or Approved X**

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SUPPORTING NJD** (e.g., paragraph 1 site conditions; paragraphs 2-3 rationale used to determine NJD, including information reviewed to assess potential navigation or interstate commerce connections; and paragraph 4 site information on waters of the U.S. occurring onsite):

The delineated wetland has no overland flow to the ditch onsite 260 feet away. The ditch is identified on the Lake County Soil Survey report as a drainageway flowing to an unnamed tributary of Deep River, which in turn flows to the Little Calumet River, a navigable water of the United States.